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DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 7, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **XGR JOHN TAX**

IN CARSON CITY TODAY, A SENATE COMMITTEE HEARD A BILL THAT WOULD ESTABLISH A SO-CALLED "JOHN TAX"... THAT WOULD BE APPLIED TO ANYONE WHO PATRONIZES A BROTHEL IN NEVADA. SUPPORTERS-- INCLUDING BROTHEL OWNERS, SAY THE LEGISLATION COULD RAISE UP TO 2-MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY FOR THE STATE. THERE ARE SEVEN LAWMAKERS ON THE SENATE TAXATION COMMITTEE-- WHICH IS HEARING THE BILL. BUT FOUR OF THOSE SEVEN MEMBERS OPPOSE THE BILL... AND THE BILL'S SPONSOR-- CLARK COUNTY SENATOR BOB COFFIN-- WILL HAVE TO RALLY SUPPORT AMONG THEM. IF HE DOESN'T, THE BILL WILL DIE IN COMMITTEE ON FRIDAY, WHICH IS THE DEADLINE FOR BILL PASSAGE INTO THE LEGISLATURE.

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DESCRIPTION: **BALLY'S LAYOFFS**

LAYOFFS ARE HITTING THE GAMING INDUSTRY...AS BALLY INDUSTRIES BEGAN RE-ORGANIZING LAST WEEK. THE CASINO SYSTEM AND SLOT MACHINE COMPANY'S CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR SAYS 4-PERCENT OF THEIR 380 RENO EMPLOYEES WERE ELIMINATED. THE COMPANY SAYS THEY GAVE THOSE EMPLOYEES SEVERANCE PACKAGES...AND SAYS THEY DO NOT KNOW OF ANY OTHER CUTS AT THEIR OTHER LOCATIONS.

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DESCRIPTION: **SMALL BUSINESS WORKSHOP**

THE COMPETITIVE JOB MARKET IS PUSHING MANY PEOPLE TO TAKE THEIR CAREERS INTO THEIR OWN HANDS AND START A BUSINESS. JIMMY WELCH IS ONE OF THOSE PEOPLE. HE IS TURNING HIS HOME INTO A DAY CARE CENTER WELCH SAYS HE HAS A LICENSE AND JUST FINISHED-UP HIS TRAINING. WELCH LOST HIS JOB ABOUT 18-MONTHS AGO. SINCE HE WAS AT HOME WITH HIS TWO DAUGHTERS, HE SAYS STARTING A DAY CARE WAS A PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO BRING IN SOME EXTRA MONEY. REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE NEVADA SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER SAY THE DEMAND FOR THEIR SERVICES IS GROWNING AS MORE PEOPLE LOSE THEIR JOBS. THEY SAY MORE AND MORE PEOPLE ARE COMING-IN WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT STARTING OR BUYING A BUSINESS. ROD JORGENSEN, THE COUNSELING DIRECTOR OF THE BUSINESS CENTER, SAYS THOSE WHO WANT TO START A BUSINESS WILL FACE CHALLENGING TIMES. HE SAYS IT COULD TAKE A WHILE FOR THE BUSINESS TO MAKE MONEY AND IT IS VERY DIFFICULT TO RECEIVE FINANCING RIGHT NOW. IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN STARTING A BUSINESS, THE NEVADA SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER IS HOSTING A WORKSHOP THIS MORNING TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATIVE RESEARCH PROGRAM. THIS WORKSHOP IS FOR BUSINESSES THAT HAVE ENVIRONMENT OR TRANSPORTATION PLANS. IT RUNS FROM 8 UNTIL 12:15 AT JOHN ASCUAGAS NUGGET IN SPARKS.

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DESCRIPTION: **LAYOFF REFUNDS**

MANY COMPANIES ARE GETTING CREATIVE TO MAKE SALES DURING THIS TIME OF RECORD LOW CONSUMER CONFIDENCE. THEY'RE OFFERING REFUNDS OR HELP WITH PAYMENTS IN CASE CUSTOMERS LOSE THEIR JOBS, IN THE MARKET FOR A NEW SUIT? A NEW CAR? A NEW HOME? BUT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT LOSING YOUR JOB?

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LOOKING TO SPARK SALES, COMPANIES ARE TRYING TO TAKE THE WORRY OFF THE TABLE. AUTO MAKERS WERE FIRST WITH THE LAYOFF GUARANTEES. G-M AND FORD WILL MAKE MONTHLY CAR PAYMENTS FOR CUSTOMERS WHO GET LAID OFF. HYUNDAI WILL EVEN TAKE THE CAR BACK. AT A REALTOR'S EXPO IN GARLAND, WHERE THE PRESSURE IS ON TO GET CUSTOMERS AND THEIR ATTENTION, ONE MORTGAGE BANKER IS OFFERING A SIMILAR DEAL. HER OFFER: IF YOU LOSE YOUR JOB LESS THAN TWO YEARS AFTER BUYING A HOUSE, THEY'LL PAY UP TO SIX MONTHS OF YOUR MORTGAGE, UP TO 18 HUNDRED DOLLARS A MONTH. NOT TO BE OUTDONE, JOSEPH A. BANK CLOTHES STORE IS OFFERING A REFUND UP TO 199 DOLLARS FOR ANYONE LAID OFF.

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DESCRIPTION: **JOHN TAX**

IT WASN'T THE TYPICAL SCENE AT THE LEGISLATIVE BUILDING...IN CARSON CITY. PROSTITUTES AND BROTHEL OWNERS SHOWED-UP YESTERDAY TO VOICE THEIR OPINION ON A PLAN THAT WOULD TAX SEX ACTS. IT'S DUBBED THE JOHN TAX.. AND IF PASSED, BROTHEL CUSTOMERS WOULD START PAYING IT. SUPPORTERS SAY IT COULD RAISE UP TO 2-MILLION-DOLLARS ANNUALLY FOR THE STATE. BUT NOT EVERYONE AGREES WITH SENATOR BOB COFFIN'S PROPOSED SEX TAX... IN FACT, ONE PROSTITUTION RESEARCHER WENT AS FAR AS TO CALL IT AN "ACT OF LEGISLATIVE PIMPING." WE HAVE IT. IT'S LEGAL AND I'M SURPRISED WE DON'T TAX IT. A LOT OF PEOPLE DON'T NO HOW LITTLE WE TAX THIS LEGAL BUSINESS. THE BROTHEL INDUSTRY HAS NO WAY OF KNOWING HOW THIS WILL IMPACT OUR BUSINESS. IT MIGHT EVEN PUT SOME BROTHELS OUT OF BUSINESS. I'M ALSO CONCERNED THAT TAXING THE INDUSTRY THIS WAY WILL GIVE THE INDEPENDENT SEX WORKER THE INCENTIVE TO WORK ILLEGALLY. 4 OF THE 7 MEMBERS ON THE COMMITTEE HEARING THE BILL OPPOSES THE PROPOSED TAX. IF SENATOR COFFIN DOESN'T RALLY SUPPORT AMONG THE COMMITTEE.. THE BILL WILL DIE THIS FRIDAY...WHICH IS THE FIRST HOUSE-COMMITTEE BILL PASSAGE DEADLINE.

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DESCRIPTION: **CITY COUNCIL TODAY**

THE RENO CITY COUNCIL IS TAKING UP SOME HEFTY ISSUES THIS AFTERNOON THE MEETING STARTED IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT 10 THIS MORNING... AND THE PUBLIC IS INVITED. HERE ARE A FEW OF THE MAJOR TALKING POINTS WE'RE FOLLOWING FOR YOU. MORE DETAILED PLANS FOR THE SPRING MOUNTAIN PROJECT AT WINNEMUCCA RANCH WILL BE REVIEWED TODAY... DEVELOPERS ARE HOPING THE COUNCIL WILL CERTIFY THE PROJECT'S HANDBOOK. THE COUNCIL IS ALSO LOOKING AT WHAT TO DO WITH THE CITY MANAGERS POSITION... CURRENT CITY MANAGER CHARLES MCNEELY HAS ACCEPTED THE SAME POSITION IN SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA. THIS AFTERNOON, THE COUNCIL WILL BE LOOKING AT A NUMBER OF SEARCH FIRMS... TO HELP THEM FIND CANDIDATES QUALIFIED TO FILL MCNEELY'S POST. THE BUDGET IS ALSO ON THE DOCKET... THE RENO POLICE SUPERVISORY AND ADMINISTRATIVE EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION'S CONTRACTS ARE UP FOR APPROVAL. THEY'VE AGREED TO A 2 POINT 1-PERCENT REDUTION IN SALARY AND-OR BENEFITS FOR SIX MONTHS TO HELP ALLEVIATE THE BUDGET DEFICIT... THE COUNCIL JUST HAS TO OKAY IT.

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DESCRIPTION: **PULTE MERGER**

TWO MAJOR HOMEBUILDERS ARE MERGING TO CREATE THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST HOMEBUILDING COMPANY. TODAY CENTEX AND PULTE HOMES ANNOUNCED PLANS TO JOIN FORCES. IT'S A 1.3 BILLION DOLLAR STOCK-FOR-STOCK DEAL. PULTE PRESIDENT RICHARD DUGAS SAYS THE MERGER "PUTS US IN AN EXCELLENT POSITION TO NAVIGATE THROUGH THE CURRENT HOUSING DOWNTURN." BEFORE THE END OF MARCH, BOTH COMPANIES REPORTED A COMBINED 3.4 BILLION DOLLARS IN CASH WITH 1.8 BILLION DOLLARS OF DEBT.

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DESCRIPTION: **TMWA RATE MEETING**

BY THIS JUNE -- YOU COULD BE PAYING MORE ON YOUR MONTHLY WATER BILL... BUT IF YOU DON'T APPROVE OF THE POSSIBLE RATE INCREASE... YOU HAVE A CHANCE TONIGHT TO SPEAK OUT ABOUT IT. PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE HEARD TONIGHT, ABOUT TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY'S RATE INCREASE PROPOSAL, THE MEETING STARTS AT 5-30 AT TMWA'S OFFICE ON CAPITAL BOULEVARD. OFFICIALS WITH THE TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY WANT TO INCREASE RATES BY ABOUT TWO-DOLLARS A MONTH. THE BOARD WILL EITHER APPROVE OR DENY IT NEXT MONTH. IF APPROVED... IT WOULD BE THE FIRST TIME IN FOUR YEARS... RATES HAVE BEEN ADJUSTED. THE EXTRA MONEY WILL COVER OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE COSTS.

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DESCRIPTION: **RGJ CUTS**

THE RENO GAZETTE JOURNAL HAS LAID OFF MORE THAN 30 EMPLOYEES....AND WILL STOP CIRCULATION OF ITS CARSON CITY AFFILIATE. A TIPSTER INITIALLY LEAKED NEWS OF THE LAYOFFS ON A GANNETT COMPANY BLOG THE R-G-J IS NOW CONFIRMING 35 PEOPLE WERE LAID OFF YESTERDAY...MOST FROM THE NEWSROOM. THEY WILL ALSO STOP PUBLISHING THE CARSON TIMES...THE LAST EDITION OF THE WEEKLY PAPER WILL GO OUT ON APRIL 17TH.

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DESCRIPTION: **HARRAHS CUTS**

THERE'S FURTHER EVIDENCE OF THE IMPACT OF THE ECONOMIC DOWNTURN ON NEVADA'S CASINOS...HARRAH'S IN RENO IS WORKING ON A RE-STRUCTURING PLAN. WE'VE LEARNED ABOUT A SHAKEUP INVOLVING SEVERAL MANAGEMENT POSITIONS AT HARRAH'S RENO. HARRAH'S SPOKESMAN JOHN PACKER SAID HE COULD NOT SAY YET WHICH POSITIONS WERE BEING ELIMINATED...THOUGH HE HOPED TO PROVIDE MORE DETAIL LATER THIS AFTERNOON. HE STRESSED THAT THE CHANGES WERE DRIVEN BY ECONOMIC CONDITIONS...AND DID NOT REFLECT ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE EXECUTIVES INVOLVED.

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DESCRIPTION: **CAL NEVA AUCTION**

THE CAL-NEVA RESORT AT LAKE TAHOE WENT ON THE AUCTION BLOCK TODAY. THE PROPERTY SPREADS ACROSS THE CALIFORNIA- NEVADA STATE LINE...SO TWO AUCTIONS WERE HELD, ONE IN EACH STATE. YOU'RE LOOKING AT ONE PART OF THAT AUCTION AT THE WASHOE COUNTY COURT HOUSE. NOBODY WAS WILLING TO PAY 15-MILLION DOLLARS FOR EITHER PROPERTY TITLES TODAY. THAT MEANS THE LENDER WHO FORECLOSED ON THE RESORT...CANYON PARTNERS OF LOS ANGELES...IS NOW THE OWNER.

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DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 9, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **SMOKING BAN PASSED COMMITTEE**

A BILL THAT WILL EASE THE BAN ON SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES WAS APPROVED BY THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE YESTERDAY BY A MARGIN OF 6-TO-1. IF PASSED IT WOULD ALLOW SMOKING IN BARS THAT SERVE FOOD AS LONG AS MINORS ARE NOT ALLOWED. ALSO, BUSINESSES WOULD BE ALLOWED TO WALL-OFF SEPERATELY VENTILATED SMOKING ROOMS.

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DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 9, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **MORTGAGE LAWSUIT**

A CLASS ACTION LAWSUIT HAS BEEN FILED IN RENO...FOR VICTIMS OF PREDATORY LENDING PRACTICES. THE SUIT WAS FILED YESTERDAY BY A NEVADA HOMEOWNER WHO SAYS SHE WAS DEFRAUDED BY "THE MORTGAGE STORE" IN THE REFINANCE OF HER HOME. THE SUIT CLAIMS THE COMPANY FAILED TO PROVIDE HER WITH INFORMATION REGARDING THE TERMS OF HER LOAN. 15 COMPANIES ARE ALSO NAMED IN THE SUIT INCLUDING COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, FREDDIE MAC AND FANNIE MAE

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DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 10, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **RTC PROJECT**

WITH SHOVELS IN HAND, LOCAL AND FEDERAL LEADERS WILL BREAK GROUND ON A 13-MILLION DOLLAR CONSTRUCTION PROJECT BY THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION THIS MORNING. IN JUST FIVE HOURS, THE R-T-C 4-TH STEET STATION WILL GET UNDERWAY. AS WE TRY TO ATTRACT TOURISTS DOWN HERE TO A VIBRANT DOWNTOWN THAT OFFERS MORE URBAN AMENITIES, GOOD TRANSIT SERVICES, WHERE THEY CAN NOT ONLY WALK AROUND DOWNTOWN BUT THEY CAN MAYBE GO DOWN TO THE MEADOWOOD AREA AND GO SHOPPING VERY EASILY...THIS TYPE OF STUFF THIS TRANSIT CENTER PROVIDES AGAIN, THE BASIS IN THE NEAR TERM AND IN THE LONG TERM FOR US TO HAVE THOSE TYPES OF SERVICES THAT VISITORS WILL ENJOY AS WELL PEOPLE THAT LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY. THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION'S 4-TH STREET STATION WILL TAKE UP A TWO POINT FIVE ACRE SITE BETWEEN LAKE STREET, EVANS AVENUE, 4-TH AND PLAZA STREET. IT WAS APPROVED BY THE R-T-C BOARD IN 2002. THE R-T-C SAYS THE CITICENTER DOES NOT HAVE SUFFICIENT ROOM TO ACCOMMODATE CURRENT SERVICE OR FUTURE NEEDS. THE 13-MILLION DOLLAR PROJECT IS BEING PAID FOR WITH FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION FUNDS. UNDER FEDERAL LAW, THESE FUNDS CAN ONLY BE USED FOR BUILDING NEW FACILITIES OR BUYING NEW BUSES. THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO TAKE ROUGHLY 15 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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DESCRIPTION: **NEWSPAPER ECONOMY**

YESTERDAY WE TOLD YOU THAT THE RENO GAZETTE JOURNAL LAID-OFF 35 PEOPLE FROM THEIR NEWSROOM... BUT THEY'RE NOT THE ONLY NEWSPAPER FACING HARD TIMES. PAPERS AROUND THE COUNTRY ARE CUTTING STAFF... OR STOPPING THE PRESSES ALTOGETHER. NEWSPAPER COMPANIES THAT DON'T DISSOLVE...ARE TRYING TO EVOLVE. PART OF THAT TRANSITION INCLUDES DRAWING READERS TO THE INTERNET...THE KEY TO NEW REVENUE. THE NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION OF

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AMERICA SAYS PRINT AD REVENUE FELL NEARLY 18-PERCENT LAST YEAR...THE WORST EVER FOR U-S NEWSPAPERS. MANY IN THE INDUSTRY SAY DON'T COUNT NEWSPAPERS OUT YET.. THERE ARE STILL MORE THAN 2-THOUSAND MAJOR AND LOCAL NEWSPAPERS IN THE COUNTRY WITH 100-MILLION DAILY READERS.

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DESCRIPTION: **UTILITY FEES**

RENO RESIDENTS WILL SOON BE PAYING HIGHER UTILITY FEES. YESTERDAY THE RENO CITY COUNCIL DECIDED TO RAISE WATER, NATURAL GAS, ELECTRIC AND SEWER FEES BY 1 PERCENT EACH. THE INCREASES WILL GENERATE \$4.9 MILLION IN REVENUES, AND HELP THE CITY DEAL WITH ITS BUDGET CRUNCH. COUNCILWOMAN JESSICA SFERRAZZA WAS THE LONE OPPONENT, SAYING PEOPLE ARE ALREADY HAVING TROUBLE PAYING BILLS.

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DESCRIPTION: **FORECLOSURE FULLPAGE**

MANY HOMEOWNERS ARE WORRIED ABOUT KEEPING UP ON THEIR PAYMENTS THESE DAYS...BUT THE WASHOE COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES, SENIOR LAW PROJECT HELD A FREE FORECLOSURE PREVENTION WORKSHOP TODAY...THE WORKSHOP COVERED THE FORECLOSURE PROCESS ITSELF, OPTIONS THAT A HOMEOWNER HAS IN THAT SITUATION AND HOW TO HANDLE YOUR MORTGAGE COMPANY SO YOU CAN KEEP YOUR HOUSE.THERE WAS ALSO A QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION SO HOMEOWNERS COULD DISCUSS SPECIFIC SITUATIONS AND PROBLEMS... IF YOU WEREN'T ABLE TO MAKE IT TO THIS WORKSHOP, THERE'S ANOTHER ONE COMING UP... IT'S GOING TO BE ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22ND FROM 4-8PM AT THE RENO SENIOR CENTER...THAT'S LOCATED AT 1155 EAST NINTH STREET IN RENO...THIS WORKSHOP IS OPEN TO EVERYONE...ADMISSION IS FREE, BUT SPACE IS LIMITED SO THEY'RE ASKING YOU TO CALL 328-2592 TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT...

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DESCRIPTION: TAX DEADLINE

THE CLOCK IS TICKING FOR PROCRASTINATORS.. THE DEADLINE TO FILE TAXES IS THIS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15TH...AN AUTOMATIC SIX MONTH EXTENSION IS AVAILABLE TO ALL TAXPAYERS ELECTRONICALLY OR BY PAPER..BUT ITS ONLY TO FILE, NOT TO PAYTAXPAYERS WHO OWE OR THINK THEY OWE SHOULD MAKE A GOOD FAITH PAYMENT OF AT LEAST 90-PERCENT OF TAXES BY WEDNESDAY TO AVOID POSSIBLE PENALTIES. THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT THE IRS IS WILLING TO WORK WITH YOU AND CREATE A PAYMENT PLAN...YOU CAN GET FREE HELP THIS WEEK AT THE IRS ASSISTANCE CENTER...IT'S ON 200 SOUTH VIRGINIA STREET.. MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY FROM 8-30 TO 5-30. CALL 824-2218 FOR MORE INFORMATION

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DESCRIPTION: ACES BUSINESS

EXCITEMENT IS GROWING OVER THE RENO ACES INAUGURAL SEASON AS THEIR HOME OPENER APPROACHES LATER THIS WEEK. MANY CAN'T WAIT TO GET A SNEAK PEAK AT THE NEW STADIUM...THE SOLDOUT HOME OPENER IS NOT ONLY EXCITING FANS, BUT DOWNTOWN BUSINESSES AS WELL...MANY SAY THEY ARE EXPECTING A LOT MORE FOOT TRAFFIC BECAUSE OF THE BALLGAMES. THE SANTA FE HOTEL EVEN HAS PLANS TO OPEN BEFORE AND AFTER HOME GAMES FOR BASEBALL FANS. LOCAL BUSINESSES HOPE THE TEAM CAN BRING IN NEW CUSTOMERS. JASON WINTERS/LA FAMIGLIA: NEW PEOPLE COMING IN TO DOWNTOWN THAT DON'T REGULARLY COME, AND SAY, HEY, LET'S STOP OVER THERE A BITE TO EAT. PHIL ZUBILLAGA/SANTA FE HOTEL OWNER. THIS AREA OF TOWN, HISTORICALLY, HAS KIND OF BEEN ON THE FRINGE OF THE BAD PART OF TOWN. TO SEE A PROJECT LIKE THIS COME IN, WHEN I FIRST HEARD ABOUT IT, I WAS VERY OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THEM DOING THIS TYPE OF PROJECT DOWN HERE. BOTH WINTERS AND ZUBILLAGA SAID THEY ARE NOT RELYING ON THE NEW BUSINESS THOUGH. THEY SAID THEIR BUSINESSES ARE DOING WELL

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RIGHT NOW WITH THEIR LOYAL CUSTOMERS... BUT NEW FACES WOULD BE A BONUS. THE ACES WILL PLAY SALT LAKE IN THE FIRST HOME GAME OF THE SEASON THIS FRIDAY NIGHT... THE GAME STARTS AT 6:05 P-M AND IS SOLD OUT... BUT THERE ARE TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR THE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY GAMES... CALL 334-4700 FOR MORE INFORMATION...

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DESCRIPTION: **SPARKS FIREFIGHTERS**
FIREFIGHTERS IN THE CITY OF SPARKS HAVE AGREED TO GIVE UP A SCHEDULED 4 PERCENT PAY RAISE IN LIGHT OF THE CITY'S BUDGET SHORTFALL. THE CONCESSION FROM MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FIREFIGHTERS WILL SAVE THE CITY ABOUT 430-THOUSAND DOLLARS. FIRE CHIEF ANDY FLOCK SAYS THE CITY WOULD HAVE HAD TO CONSIDER CLOSING SOME FIRE STATIONS UNLESS FIREFIGHTERS AGREED TO THE FORGO THE RAISE. THE CITY COUNCIL MUST STILL APPROVE THE CONCESSION.

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DESCRIPTION: **GIBBONS NEWSMAKERS**
SPEAKING OF LAWMAKERS... GOVERNOR JIM GIBBONS SAYS HE HOPES THEY WON'T PROPOSE TAX INCREASES. DURING AN APPEARANCE ON TODAY'S "NEVADA NEWSMAKERS," GOVERNOR GIBBONS SAID TAXES HURT REVENUE. YOU NAME ME... SAM... WHICH SEGMENT OF THE ECONOMY IS DOING SO WELL THAT YOU CAN GO ACROSS THE BOARD AND DO AN INCREASE IN THE MODIFIED BUSINESS TAX... I WILL SAY RIGHT NOW ON YOUR SHOW... YOU INCREASE TAXES YOU'RE GOING TO PRODUCE LESS REVENUE. THE GOVERNOR SAID HE BELIEVES TAXES WOULD HIT THE PEOPLE THE HARDEST AND CHASE NEW BUSINESS AWAY... HE VOICED HIS SUPPORT

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FOR CUTTING SPENDING INSTEAD. IN THE PROGRAM, HE ALSO DISCUSSED RENEWABLE ENERGY. SAYING HE HOPES THE STATE CAN EXPORT IT'S OWN ENERGY IN A COUPLE DECADES.

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DESCRIPTION: **TAX REFUNDS**

IT'S TAX TIME ... ONE DAY AND COUNTING. ALL OVER THE COUNTRY ... MILLIONS OF AMERICANS ARE SCRAMBLING TO MEET THE APRIL 15th DEADLINE. A LOT HAS CHANGED SINCE LAST YEAR ... AND THAT INCLUDES WHAT PEOPLE PLAN TO DO WITH THEIR REFUND, A FABULOUS OVERSEAS VACATION??? HOW ABOUT A FLAT-SCREEN T-V??? OR A MAYBE JUST FANCY MEAL. HOW ARE YOU SPENDING YOUR TAX REFUND THIS YEAR??? FROM THE TAX MAN ... RIGHT TO THE BILL COLLECTOR. THAT'S HOW MORE THAN HALF OF US ARE SPENDING OUR REFUND THIS YEAR ... ACCORDING TO A NEW A-P POLL. OF COURSE ... NOT ALL OF US HAVE THAT LUXURY OF CHOICE. WITH THE APRIL FIFTEENTH FILING DEADLINE APPROACHING ... TAX CENTERS LIKE THIS ONE IN WASHINGTON ARE SEEING SOME BRISK BUSINESS. BUT IF YOU HAVEN'T FILED YET, THE I-R-S SAYS YOU'RE NOT ALONE, IRS OFFICIALS SAY THEY REALIZE THESE ARE TOUGH TIMES. UNFORTUNATELY ... IF YOU OWE ... YOU STILL HAVE TO PAY -- ON TIME. THE IRS EXPECTS ABOUT TEN MILLION PEOPLE TO FILE FOR AN AUTOMATIC SIX-MONTH EXTENSION. FOR QUESTIONS AND TAX TIPS ... YOU CAN GO TO THE IRS WEB SITE: IRS-DOT-GOV.

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DESCRIPTION: **SAVE JOBS NOW**

CALIFORNIA LAWMAKERS HAVE SET OUT ON A MISSION TO STOP BUSINESSES AND RESIDENTS FROM MOVING TO NEVADA AND SURPRISINGLY NEVADA WANTS TO BE A PART OF THE EFFORT. REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS HELD A "SAVE JOBS NOW" PRESS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY, ANNOUNCING THE SO-CALLED PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO STATES. LAWMAKERS ADMITTED THEY WERE JUST AS SURPRISED WHEN NEVADA STEPPED FORWARD SAYING IT WANTS TO JUMP ON THE BANDWAGON, BUT THEN BACKED IT UP WITH AN EXPLANATION. "THE ISSUE IS THIS: RIGHT NOW, IN THE BUSINESS TAX INDEX RATING, CALIFORNIA IS RANKED 48 IN THE STATE. NEVADA IS RANKS #2. THEY DON'T WANT TO TRAVEL THE SAME ROAD. WE WANT TO GO TO NEVADA, MEET WITH THESE BUSINESSES AND SEE IF WE CAN BRING SOME OF THEM BACK, AND CREATE JOBS AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN." CALIFORNIA'S UNEMPLOYMENT RATE NOW TOPS 10-PERCENT. LAWMAKERS THERE SAY THEY NEED TO BE COMPETITIVE IN ORDER TO WIN THE WAR FOR JOBS.

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	NEWS 4 @ 5:00 P.M.	0:35
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	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	0:35

TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 14, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **NEW GOLD RUSH**

CALIFORNIA MAY BE STRUGGLING TO PROVIDE SECURE JOBS... BUT THE SKY-HIGH PRICE OF GOLD...HAS TRIGGERED A NEW RUSH TO THE GOLDEN STATE. AMATEUR PROSPECTORS ARE FLOCKING TO CALIFORNIA TO ROLL UP THEIR PANT LEGS AND PAN FOR GOLD. PROSPECTORS ADMIT IT'S NOT THE MOST RELIABLE SOURCE OF INCOME BUT IT STILL MANAGES TO PUT FOOD ON THE TABLE AND A ROOF OVER THEIR HEADS. AND EXPERTS SAY IT'S NOT NECESSARILY A BAD WAY TO GO. IT'S ESTIMATED THE ORIGINAL PROSPECTORS ONLY DISCOVERED ABOUT 15-PERCENT OF WHAT'S REALLY THERE.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 14, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **OBAMA ECONOMY**

PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA GAVE A MAJOR ECONOMIC SPEECH THIS MORNING, IN AN EFFORT TO GIVE AMERICANS A PEP TALK. BUT REPORTS SHOW RETAIL SALES ARE BACK DOWN FOR MARCH, SNAPPING TWO STRAIGHT MONTHS OF SMALL GAINS. ANOTHER ECONOMIC CURVEBALL -- RETAIL SALES DROPPED MORE THAN ONE PERCENT LAST MONTH; ANALYSTS HAD EXPECTED A SLIGHT INCREASE -- AND A THIRD MONTH OF MODEST GAINS -- BUT AMERICANS KEPT A TIGHT GRIP ON THEIR WALLET. LAST WEEK, PRESIDENT OBAMA SAID HE SAW GLIMMERS OF ECONOMIC HOPE, AND TODAY, IN A MAJOR ECONOMIC SPEECH ... HIS MESSAGE IS THAT GOVERNMENT STIMULUS EFFORTS ARE WORKING. BUT HE'S LEAVENING THAT HOPE WITH AN UNPLEASANT PINCH OF REALITYFLASH - CUT OUT LINE ABOUT "OBVIOUSLY PEOPLE WHO'VE LOST THEIR JOBS. FED CHIEF BEN BERNANKE ... SAYS HE SEES TENTATIVE SIGNS THE ECONOMIC SLIDE IS SLOWING. BUT HOPEFUL TALK IS LITTLE COMFORT TO WALL STREET. STOCKS DIPPED AT THE OPENING BELL.

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	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	0:50

TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 14, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **ENSIGN REACTS**

THIS MORNING WE ASKED REPUBLICAN SENATOR JOHN ENSIGN TO REACT TO PRESIDENT OBAMA'S STATEMENTS AND WEIGHS IN ON WHERE HE THINKS THE COUNTRY'S ECONOMY IS HEADING. THE SENATOR BELIEVES THERE ARE MORE ROAD BUMPS AHEAD. "OBVIOUSLY WE HOPE THE RECESSION IS ENDING BUT THERE'S A LOT OF SIGNS OUT THERE THAT IT IS NOT - THERE IS STILL TROUBLE IN THE REAL ESTATE MARKET AND WHAT A LOT OF PEOPLE DON'T REALIZE IS IT'S THE COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE MARKET THAT'S THE NEXT SHOE TO DROP, THE DEVALUATION OF A LOT OF THE COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE ACROSS THE COUNTRY THAT WAS KIND OF A SIMILAR BUBBLE TO THE RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE AND THAT'S NOW GOING THROUGH SOME OF ITS DEVALUATION AND ITS - AND THAT MAY HIT THE BANKS, IT MAY HIT A LOT OF CONSTRUCTION INTO THE FUTURE AND SO I STILL THINK WE HAVE SOME TOUGH TIMES AHEAD." ENSIGN WILL ADDRESS THE NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE ON

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THURSDAY ON THE AGENDA...LEADING THE WAY IN RENEWABLE ENERGY AND HIGHLIGHTING THE IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY.

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	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	0:40

TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 14, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **NORTHGATE FUTURE**

WASHOE COUNTY COMMISSION IS DISCUSSING THE FUTURE OF THE NORTHGATE GOLF COURSE THIS AFTERNOON. THE R-S-C-V-A CLOSED THIS COURSE...LOCATED ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF TOWN...BECAUSE COST OF OPERATION WAS HIGHER THAN REVENUE. WE HAVE A CREW AT THE COMMISSION MEETING RIGHT NOW...WHERE THE TOPIC HAS JUST COME UP. RIGHT NOW THEY'RE DISCUSSING WHETHER THE COURSE WILL DEFAULT BACK TO THE DEVELOPER...OR IF THE COUNTY CAN BUY IT TO USE IT AS OPEN SPACE...OR OPEN ANOTHER GOLF COURSE. THE CASE HAS DRAWN MAJOR RESPONSE FROM THE PUBLIC...WHO DO NOT WANT IT TO DEFAULT BACK TO DEVELOPER...FOR FEAR IT WOULD BE SOLD OFF TO CREATE MORE HOUSING IN THE AREA. THE DEVELOPER HAS OFFERED THE COMMISSION A 60-DAY EXTENSION...TO GIVE EVERYONE A CHANCE TO DISCUSS A NEW PLAN FOR THE LAND.

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	NEWS 4 @ 6:00 P.M.	0:20
	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	0:20

TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 14, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **TAHOE TRUCKEE LAYOFFS**

AFTER 95 TEACHERS IN THE TAHOE TRUCKEE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT WERE HANDED LAYOFF NOTICES LAST MONTH...SEVERAL ARE BEING RESCINDED. THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS ANNOUNCING THEY'LL ONLY BE LOSING 73 TEACHERS...AFTER FOLLOWING THROUGH ON SUGGESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC, DISTRICT LEADERS, AND SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS ON OTHER WAYS TO CUT COSTS TO AVOID THE LAYOFFS. THEY SAY THEY HOPE TO CANCEL A FEW MORE LAYOFFS BEFORE THE BUDGET IS SET... AND WILL BE HOLDING SPECIAL WORKSHOPS NEXT TUESDAY, APRIL 21ST AND WEDNESDAY APRIL 22ND TO DISCUSS MORE MONEY SAVING MEASURES.

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	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	2:00

TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **ACES FOOD CONTROVERSY**

JUST TWO DAYS AWAY FROM THE ACES FIRST HOME GAME, AND WE'RE LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE STUFF THAT MAKES THE GAME FULFILLING*... THAT GOOD OL' BALLPARK FOOD. OWNERS OF THE DOWNTOWN BASEBALL STADIUM HAVE STRUCK A DEAL WITH AN OUT-OF-STATE FOOD SUPPLIER, AND SOME ARE WONDERING... WHY NOT GO LOCAL? ON A SNOWY SPRING DAY IN RENO... SOMEWHERE NEAR THE DOWNTOWN BASEBALL STADIUM.... A GLIMMER OF LIGHT FOR ACES FANS... A SYSCO TRUCK... CARRYING FOOD... BALLPARK FOOD... IT DIDN'T COME FROM A LOCAL DISTIRUBTOR. IN FACT IT CAME ALL THE WAY FROM A SUPPLIER IN CHICAGO ILLINIOS... CALLED LEVY RESTAURANTS... ACES SPOKESMAN TJ LASIDA SAYS ITS ONE OF A HANDFUL OF COMPANIES NATIONWIDE THAT CAN FEED NINE-THOUSAND PEOPLE A GAME. HE COULDN'T SAY WHETHER THE STADIUM TOOK ANY LOCAL BIDS... SO WE DID SOME DIGGING OF OUR OWN. THE U.S. FOOD SERVICE IN RENO TELLS US IT TOO COULD* FEED THOUSANDS... BUT THE COMPANY SERVES AIRPORTS, DINERS AND HOSPITALS, WHEREAS... LEVY RESTAURANTS HAS ALREADY HIT SOME HOME RUNS WITH MAJOR SPORTS TEAMS. THEY SERVE THE WHITE SOX AND THE WASHINGTON NATIONALS. STILL, THE OUT-OF-STATE FOOD SUPPLIER SAYS IT'LL HIRE ABOUT 175 GAME DAY EMPLOYEES... ALL OF THEM... LOCAL HIRES... AND IF YOU'VE WAITED UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO BUY TICKETS TO THE RENO ACES SEASON OPENER.. YOU PROBABLY KNOW BY NOW THE GAME IS SOLD OUT.. HOWEVER THAT DOESN'T MEAN YOU STILL CAN'T GET TICKETS. SCRUPLES BAR AND GRILL IS GIVING AWAY 50 TICKETS IN APRIL.. INCLUDING TICKETS TO THIS FRIDAY'S GAME... ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS BE AT THE PUB THREE HOURS BEFORE GAME TIME FOR A TICKET DRAWING AND RAFFLE. YOU CAN ALSO RIDE THE SCRUPLES BUS TO THE GAME TO AVOID PARKING. THE FIRST TICKET GIVEAWAY IS THIS FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT THREE O'CLOCK.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: COLLEGE DAY SAVINGS

IN THIS ECONOMY, WE COULD ALL USE A LITTLE HELP MAPPING OUT A SAVINGS PLAN-- ESPECIALLY IF YOU'RE A PARENT SAVING FOR YOUR CHILDS COLLEGE EDUCATION. SO STATE TREASURER KATE MARSHALL AND SEVERAL OTHER LEADERS INTRODUCED THE "NEVADA \$529 DOLLAR COLLEGE SAVINGS DAY CONTEST" YESTERDAY. THE CONTEST IS OPEN TO ALL NEVADA KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 5TH GRADE STUDENTS... ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS FILL OUT AN ENTRY FORM. THE PRIZE IS A 529-DOLLAR GIFT TO OPEN A COLLEGE SAVINGS PLAN OR TO CONTRIBUTE TO AN EXISTING ACCOUNT. MARSHALL SAYS FIVE PRIZES ARE UP FOR GRABS- STUDENTS WISHING TO ENTER THE CONTEST MUST SEND IN THE FORM BY MAY 18 TO THE STATE TREASURERS OFFICE. TO DOWNLOAD THE OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM JUST HEAD TO OUR WEBSITE AT KRNVDOTCOM.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: TAHOE TRUCKEE LAYOFFS

THEY WERE TOLD THEY WOULD BE LOSING THEIR JOBS AND NOW, ABOUT 2-DOZEN TEACHERS IN THE TAHOE-TRUCKEE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT ARE BEING TOLD OTHERWISE. 95-TEACHERS IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT WERE HANDED LAYOFF NOTICES LAST MONTH. BUT YESTERDAY, THE DISTRICT ANNOUNCED THEY'LL ONLY BE LOSING 73 OF THOSE TEACHERS. 22 POSITIONS WERE SAVED DUE TO ALTERNATIVE COST-CUTTING IDEAS SUGGESTED BY THE PUBLIC, DISTRICT LEADERS, AND SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **ENSIGN INTERVIEW**

LATER THIS WEEK, REPUBLICAN U-S SENATOR JOHN ENSIGN WILL GET *HIS TURN TO ADDRESS STATE LAWMAKERS IN CARSON CITY, ENSIGN TOLD NEWS FOUR THAT A MAJOR PORTION OF HIS LEGISLATIVE SPEECH WILL HIGHLIGHT THE IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY. WE WANTED TO KNOW *HOW THE STATE CAN PUT EDUCATION FIRST, IN THE WAKE OF PROPOSED UNIVERSITY BUDGET CUTS, POSSIBLY EXCEEDING 36 PERCENT BUT THE SENATOR CAREFULLY AVOIDED GETTING INTO THAT ARGUMENT. THE STATE'S HAVING A TOUGH TIMES, BUDGETS - UH STATES HAVING TO CUT THEIR BUDGET AND I'M NOT GOING TO TELL THE PEOPLE IN CARSON CITY HOW TO DO THEIR JOB CAUSE THEY HAVE A TOUGHER JOB THAN WE DO IN WASHINGTON BECAUSE IN WASHINGTON WE'RE JUST PRINTING MONEY RIGHT NOW AND UNFORTUNATELY WE'RE RUNNING UP THE FEDERAL DEBT, I'D LIKE TO SEE US DOING SOME BUDGET CUTS BUT UH THE JOB THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND STATE GOVERNMENT HAVE IN NEVADA ARE REALLY, REALLY TOUGH. ENSIGN SAYS HE WILL ALSO ADDRESS NEVADA'S ROLE IN RENEWABLE ENERGY, AND HOW IT CAN GENERATE STATEWIDE JOBS

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **GROCERY TAX**

THE 'GREEN' WAY TO SHOP AT THE GROCERY STORE THESE DAYS IS TO BRING YOUR OWN REUSABLE GROCERY BAGS. CALIFORNIA LAWMAKERS MAY NUDGE RESIDENTS EVEN FURTHER BY CHARGING A GROCERY BAG TAX. IT'S CONTROVERSIAL GIVEN THE CURRENT STATE OF THE ECONOMY, BUT IF PASSED, IT COULD START A TREND THAT CATCHES ON IN OTHER STATES? GET READY TO PAY MORE AT THE STORE IF SOME LAWMAKERS GET THEIR WAY. YOU'LL BE SHELLING OUT A QUARTER EVERY TIME YOU TAKE A PLASTIC BAG OR EVEN A PAPER BAG FROM THE SUPERMARKET OR DRUG STORE. THE BILL IS DESIGNED TO REDUCE THE VOLUME OF PLASTIC BAGS THAT END UP IN CALIFORNIA'S WATERWAYS, CAUSING HARM TO ANIMALS. AND BY CHARGING A FEE AT THE STORE, SUPPORTERS SAY, CONSUMERS WILL BE MORE LIKELY TO TRY

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REUSABLE BAGS. BUT MANY SHOPPERS WE TALKED TO TODAY SAY ENOUGH IS ENOUGH. THE CLASH BETWEEN CALIFORNIA'S ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY IS NOW TAKING CENTER STAGE AT THE CAPITOL.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **SUMMER GAS PRICES**

IF YOU PREFER SMALLER CARS BECAUSE OF FUEL EFFICIENCY...THERE'S SOME GOOD NEWS AT THE PUMP. THE PRICE OF GAS IS PREDICTED TO GO DOWN THIS SUMMER. THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S PREDICTION FOR GAS PRICES THIS SUMMER IS \$2-23 A GALLON... THAT'S ALMOST A-DOLLAR-60 CHEAPER PER GALLON THAN LAST SUMMER. EXPERTS SAY THE DROP IS ATTRIBUTED TO LOWER DEMAND. IN FACT...AMERICANS DROVE 100-BILLION FEWER MILES IN 2008 THAN THEY DID IN 2007. RIGHT NOW... THE NATIONAL AVERAGE STANDS AT 2-05 A GALLON...DOWN DRASTICALLY FROM \$3-37 A YEAR AGO. HERE IN RENO... WE'RE A BIT HIGHER AT AN AVERAGE OF 2-14 A GALLON, STILL MUCH LOWER COMPARED TO \$3-65 THIS TIME A YEAR AGO.

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TYPE: NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **HALLMARK LAYOFFS**

HALLMARK CARDS SAY THEY'RE LAYING-OFF BETWEEN 550 AND 750 U-S EMPLOYEES THIS WEEK. THE GREETING CARD COMPANY SAYS SALES ARE SLOW, WHICH IS PROMPTING THE CUTBACK. 7 LOCATIONS WILL BE LOSING WORKERS IN 5-DIFFERENT STATES. NO WORD YET IF NEVADA IS AFFECTED.

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TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **YAHOO CUTS**

STRUGGLING INTERNET GIANT YAHOO IS PREPARING TO LAY OFF SEVERAL HUNDRED EMPLOYEES, MARKING THE FIRST ROUND OF JOB CUTS SINCE CHIEF EXECUTIVE CAROL BARTZ TOOK THE HELM. ACCORDING TO NEWSPAPER REPORTS LATE LAST NIGHT... YAHOO IS TRYING TO REVERSE THREE YEARS OF DECLINING PROFITS. MANAGEMENT HAD WARNED ANOTHER ROUND OF LAYOFFS COULD COME, DEPENDING ON THE LENGTH AND SEVERITY OF THE RECESSION. THE NEW CUTS COULD BE ANNOUNCED NEXT TUESDAY WHEN YAHOO REPORTS QUARTERLY EARNINGS.

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TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **RSCVA LOSING EVENTS**

KEY MONEY-MAKING CONVENTIONS ARE PULLING OUT OF THE RENO-SPARKS AREA, AND THE GROUP CHARGED WITH BRINGING AND KEEPING* THEM HERE SAY THE CHANGES WILL RESULT IN BIG LOSSES IN ROOM TAX REVENUE. NEVADA'S REPUTATION OF ANYTHING GOES, MAY HAVE MADE IT THE CHAMPION OF CONVENTION MARKETS. BUT THE BIGGEST LITTLE CITY IS APPARENTLY NO LONGER BIG ENOUGH FOR SOME MAJOR CONVENTIONS...AS THE NEW ERA OF FISCAL RESTRAINT TAKES OVER. ELLIE OPPENHEIM IS THE PRESIDENT AND CEO FOR THE RENO SPARKS CONVENTION AND VISITORS AUTHORITY. IN AN EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH NEWS FOUR, SHE CONFIRMED THAT THOSE THREE CONVENTIONS HAVE DECIDED TO MOVE ON TO OTHER STATES... AFTER FIVE YEARS, THE VOLLEBALL FESTIVAL DECIDED TO RELOCATE TO PHOENIX. THE HEARTH PATIO AND BARBEQUE EXPO IS MOVING ONTO SALT LAKE CITY. TOGETHER THE CONVENTIONS GENERATED ABOUT 26 THOUSAND ROOM NIGHTS, WHICH TRANSLATES INTO AN ESTIMATED LOSS

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OF CLOSE TO THREE MILLION DOLLARS TO AREA HOTEL CASINOS, ANOTHER CONVENTION THAT WAS SUPPOSED TO MAKE A LANDING IN RENO, THE U.S. AIRFORCE CONVENTION. IT WAS SCHEDULED TO COME IN MARCH...BUT IS RELOCATING TO ST. LOUIS...IN SEARCH OF A MORE CENTRAL* LOCATION. THAT CONVENTION WAS EXPECTED TO GENERATE ABOUT FOUR-THOUSAND ROOM NIGHTS. OPPENHEIM SAYS THE AUTHORITY HAS ALREADY BOOKED MORE THAN ONE POINT TWO MILLION ROOM NIGHTS FROM NOW ALL THE WAY THROUGH 2016. SOME GOOD NEWS, THE RSCVA SAYS A NEW VOLLEYBALL CONVENTION IS COMING TO TOWN, WHICH SHOULD GENERATE SEVEN THOUSAND ROOM NIGHTS. TOMORROW WE WILL FOLLOW UP WITH THE CONVENTIONS THAT LEFT TOWN AND LET YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY.

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TYPE:NEWS

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DESCRIPTION: **FERNLEY COUNCIL**

ONE MEMBER OF THE FERNLEY CITY COUNCIL SAYS THE CITY IS FACING THE POSSIBILITY OF A FINANCIAL EMERGENCY. THE ISSUE WILL BE TAKEN UP AT TONIGHT'S CITY COUNCIL MEETING....BUT NEWS 4 HAS LEARNED COUNCIL WOMAN KELLY MALLOY MET RECENTLY WITH STATE OFFICIALS TO EXPRESS HER CONCERNS ABOUT THE CITY'S FINANCIAL SITUATION. ACCORDING TO THE CITY'S INTERIM CITY MANAGER...COUNCILWOMAN MALLOY CITED QUOTE, CONDITIONS WHICH COULD POTENTIALLY CAUSE FERNLEY TO COME UNDER SEVERE FINANCIAL EMERGENCY ENDQUOTE. MALLOY REPORTEDLY HAS CONCERNS ABOUT PAST ACCOUNTING PRACTICES AND POSSIBLE MISHANDLING OF FUNDS AT CITY HALL. AGAIN...THIS ISSUE WILL BE DISCUSSED AT TONIGHT'S COUNCIL MEETING.

NEWS 4	NEWS 4 @ 6:00 P.M.	0:40
	NEWS 4 @ 11:00 P.M.	0:40

TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 15, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **TMWA WATER RATES**

IT'S BEEN MORE THAN FOUR YEARS SINCE RESIDENTS HERE HAVE SEEN A WATER RATE INCREASE.... BUT THAT COULD CHANGE IN A COUPLE MONTHS. THE TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY HELD A PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING TODAY TO HEAR FROM FOLKS ABOUT INCREASING THE PRICE WE ALL PAY FOR WATER. OFFICIALS WITH TMWA WANT TO INCREASE RATES BY ABOUT TWO-DOLLARS A MONTH...TO

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COVER OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE COSTS. THE BOARD IS EXPECTED TO MAKE A DECISION NEXT MONTH AFTER THE NEXT AND FINAL PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING. IF YOU'D LIKE TO ATTEND THAT MEETING AND PROVIDE SOME INPUT... IT WILL BE HELD ON MAY 21ST, AT 8 IN THE MORNING AT THE SPARKS CITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

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IT'S BEEN MORE THAN 4-YEARS SINCE LOCAL RESIDENTS HAVE SEEN A WATER RATE INCREASE.. BUT THAT COULD CHANGE IN A COUPLE MONTHS THE TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY HELD A PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING YESTERDAY TO DISCUSS CURRENT WATER RATES. TMWA WANTS TO INCREASE RATES BY ABOUT 2-DOLLARS A MONTH...TO COVER OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE COSTS. THE BOARD IS EXPECTED TO MAKE A DECISION NEXT MONTH AFTER ITS FINAL PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING. IF YOU'D LIKE TO ATTEND THAT MEETING AND PROVIDE SOME INPUT.. IT WILL BE HELD ON MAY 21ST...AT 8 IN THE MORNING... AT THE SPARKS CITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

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TYPE: NEWS

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DESCRIPTION: **RENO AIRPORT CUTS**

THE RENO-TAHOE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT HAS ANNOUNCED IT'S LOSING TWO MORE FLIGHTS. AIRPORT MANAGERS SAY ONE OF SOUTHWEST AIRLINES THREE DAILY FLIGHTS TO BOISE AND THEIR TWICE-A-WEEK FLIGHT TO BELLINGHAM, WASHINGTON ON ALLEGIAANT AIRLINES ARE BOTH ON THE CHOPPING BLOCK... THIS BRINGS THE TOTAL NUMBER OF FLIGHTS CANCELLED THIS YEAR TO 19. THE FLIGHTS WILL BE DISCONTINUED AT THE END OF THE MONTH.

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DESCRIPTION: **T-AMERICAN JETS**

DESPITE A TOUGH ECONOMY, AMERICAN AIRLINES IS SPENDING MILLIONS TO PURCHASE NEW JETS, AHEAD OF SCHEDULE. WHY NOW? LARGER OVERHEAD BINS, DROP-DOWN VIDEO MONITORS, MORE COMFORTABLE SEATS, AND LAPTOP POWER CONNECTIONS! AMERICAN'S NEW 737-800'S ARE LOADED. BUT THE BIGGEST BENEFIT MAY BE TO THE AIRLINE'S BOTTOM LINE. STATE-OF-THE-ART ENGINES AND WINGS MAKE THIS PLANE STINGY ON FUEL. THE NEW PLANES ARE 35 PERCENT MORE FUEL EFFICIENT THAN THE MD-80S THEY WILL REPLACE. MANY OF THOSE AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN FLYING FOR DECADES. AMERICAN WON'T SAY HOW MUCH IT IS SPENDING. BUT EACH NEW PLANE HAS A LIST PRICE OF 75-MILLION DOLLARS. EVEN AT A TIME WHEN THE INDUSTRY IS STRUGGLING, THE CARRIER SAYS THE HUGE PURCHASE MAKES SENSE. FOR MANY EMPLOYEES WHO'VE MADE SACRIFICES OVER THE YEARS, THE NEW PLANES ARE A SILVER LINING OF SORTS. AND JUST LIKE WHEN YOU GET A NEW CAR, THERE IS EXCITEMENT FOR ANOTHER REASON. WELCOMING CEREMONIES WILL BE HELD FOR THE NEW FLEET AT AIRPORTS IN TULSA, OKLAHOMA AND CHICAGO...AND THE PLANES WILL SOON MAKE THEIR WAY AROUND THE WORLD, REPLACING AMERICAN'S OLD MD-80 AIRCRAFTS.

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TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 16, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **FORCLOSURE MEETING**

A FORECLOSURE PREVENTION WORKSHOP IS TODAY...HOSTED BY THE WASHOE COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES THIS IS A FREE WORKSHOP OPEN TO EVERYONE IN THE COMMUNITY. THE SEMINAR WILL BE HELD AT 1 THIS AFTERNOON AT THE NEIL ROAD RECREATION CENTER. FOR MORE INFORMATION...YOU CAN CALL 356-3176.

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TYPE:NEWS

DATE OF BROADCAST: APRIL 16, 2009

DESCRIPTION: **BEST BUY CUTS**

FIRST CIRCUIT CITY WENT OUT OF BUSINESS AND NOW FINANCIAL TROUBLE IS HITTING ELECTRONICS GIANT BEST BUY. THOUSANDS OF EMPLOYEES AT BEST BUY STORES AROUND THE COUNTRY WILL SEE EITHER THEIR PAY CUT OR THEIR JOBS ELIMINATED. A SPOKESMAN FOR THE COMPANY SAID BEST BUY WOULD BE MOVING MANAGERS AND SENIOR-LEVEL STAFFERS INTO POSITIONS WHERE THEY WILL INTERACT MORE DIRECTLY WITH SHOPPERS. WHILE THE COMPANY WOULD NOT DISCLOSE AN EXACT NUMBER, A NEW YORK INVESTMENT FIRM EXPECTS NEARLY 10,000 EMPLOYEES TO BE AFFECTED. THOSE KEEPING THEIR JOBS COULD SEE THEIR PAY CUT 25 TO 50-PERCENT.

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DESCRIPTION: **ECONOMIC FORUM**

EMPLOYERS ARE HAVING NO PROBLEMS FINDING JOB APPLICANTS THESE DAYS. AND WITH SUMMER APPROACHING, HIRING FOR TEMPORARY JOBS IS UNDERWAY AS RICH VAN WYK REPORTS; YOUNG PEOPLE ARE FINDING STIFF COMPETITION FOR EVEN LOW-PAYING SUMMER JOBS. COLLEGE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE FINDING FEWER SUMMER JOBS AND MORE PEOPLE AFTER THEM. AMONG YOUNG WORKERS, UNEMPLOYMENT IS 50 PERCENT HIGHER THAN LAST YEAR. WRIGHT HOPES TO GET ONE OF THE SEASONAL DELIVERY JOBS AVAILABLE AT HOME CITY ICE. THE COMPANY'S RECEIVING MANY MORE APPLICATIONS. THE COMPANY TYPICALLY ATTRACTS COLLEGE STUDENTS, BUT IS NOW SEEING APPLICATIONS FROM OLDER WORKERS. OTHER SEASONAL EMPLOYERS TELL SIMILAR STORIES. FOR 115 SUMMER JOBS TYPICALLY FILLED BY TEENAGERS, THE INDIANAPOLIS ZOO, ACCEPTED 1000 APPLICATIONS, MANY LISTING YEARS OF EXPERIENCE. HOLIDAY WORLD RECEIVED A RECORD NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS. MOST FROM STUDENTS, BUT MANY FROM RETIREES OR ITS YEAR ROUND EMPLOYEES WANTING ADDITIONAL WORK, IN PREVIOUS YEARS INDY PARKS AND RECREATION SEARCHED FOR LIFEGUARDS AND CAMP COUNSELORS. THIS YEAR HUNDREDS MORE APPLIED EARLIER. IN SOME CASES, TEENAGERS ARE NOW COMPETING WITH JOB HUNTERS WHO ARE WELL EDUCATED AS

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WELL AS EXPERIENCED. AND TALK ABOUT BEING OVERQUALIFIED. ONE INDIANAPOLIS YMCA IS SEEING SOME PEOPLE WITH MASTERS DEGREES APPLYING FOR SUMMER JOBS...SOME WHICH PAY ONLY \$7.50 AN HOUR.

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DESCRIPTION: **RSCVA EVENTS LEAVE**

THERE IS SOME CONFLICTING INFORMATION ON THIS STORY SO I DECIDED TO CALL EVERYONE I POSSIBLY COULD TO MAKE SURE WE GET ALL THE FACTS. THAT INCLUDES ALL THREE CONVENTIONS AND THE CITIES THAT WON THEM OVER. IF YOU'RE WONDERING WHAT THE REAL DEAL BREAKERS WERE... SO WERE WE... OVER THE COURSE OF THEIR SHOW, HEARTH PATIO AND BBQ MEMBERS REQUIRED 9,000 HOTEL ROOMS WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE OF THE CONVENTION CENTER. THEY SAID ITS UNREALISTIC TO EXPECT THAT IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS. IN FACT, LAS VEGAS' CONVENTION AUTHORITY TELLS ME...EVEN THE BIGGEST HOTEL CASINO THERE THE MGM GRAND, PROVIDES JUST FEWER THAN 6 THOUSAND ROOMS. SO WE WONDERED IF THIS IS REALLY ABOUT A LACK OF HOTEL ROOMS. HEARTH PATIO AND BBQ EXPO ORGANIZERS TOLD ME THEY TOOK THEIR CONVENTION TO ANOTHER TOWN BECAUSE OF WHAT **THEY THINK** IS RENO'S SHAKY HOTEL ECONOMY*. SPEAKING OF NEW ROOMS, WHEN I BROKE THE NEWS TO RENO MAYOR BOB CASHELL YESTERDAY, HE TOLD ME HE ASSUMED ALL THIS COMES DOWN TO ROOMS. HE SAYS WITH THE POOR ECONOMY, PEOPLE HAVE STOPPED UPGRADING AND THE CITY WILL NEED TO STEP UP ITS EFFORT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE. I CALLED HIM BACK TODAY BUT DIDN'T HEAR BACK BEFORE DEADLINE. LEMOR I KNOW YOU WENT AHEAD AND CALLED THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION AND VISITORS AUTHORITY ABOUT WINNING THE AIR FORCE CONVENTION YES AND THIS MIGHT NOT COME AS A SURPRISE TO YOU BUT WE SHOULD LET YOU KNOW ANYWAY...THE HEAD OF THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION AUTHORITY TELLS ME ITS HAPPY TO HAVE THE U.S. AIRFORCE CONVENTION AND IT PLANS TO DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO KEEP IT THERE. THE NEWS ISN'T ALL BAD... NO THERE ARE TWO NEW CONVENTIONS COMING. THE INTEL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING FAIR...THAT'S A WEEKLONG CONVENTION HAPPENING IN MAY...AND A DIFFERENT VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT COMING TOMORROW AND COMING UP TONIGHT AT SIX, HOW DO THE LATEST DEVLOMENTS IMPACT OUR FUTURE CONVENTION ECONOMY? WILL WE SEE A SNOWBALL EFFECT? HEAR PART TWO OF MY INTERVIEW WITH ELLEN OPPENHEIM.

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DESCRIPTION: **ECONOMIC PANEL**

WITH THESE CONVENTIONS LEAVING, WE KNOW IT'S GOING TO MEAN LESS REVENUE FOR LOCAL HOTELS AND BUSINESSES BUT WILL IT TRASLATE INTO ACTUAL JOB LOSS??? DOUG KURKUL WITH THE RENO SPARKS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ANTICIPATES JOBS COULD BE LOST NOT ONLY IN THE CASINOS WHERE MANY VISITORS STAY AND EAT BUT ALSO SMALL BUSINESSES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA LIKE RESTAURANTS AND SHOPS WHERE VISITORS SPEND MONEY OUTSIDE THE CONVENTION CENTER AND HOTELS.

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DESCRIPTION: **NV STIMULUS LAW**

GOVERNOR JIM GIBBONS HAS SIGNED OFF ON ONE OF THE MEASURES THAT WILL HELP NEVADA GET NEARLY 300-MILLION IN FEDERAL STIMULUS DOLLARS...FOR STATE UNEMPLOYMENT FUNDING. MOST OF THE MONEY GOES TO THOSE ALREADY ENROLLED IN THE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PROGRAM... WHILE 77-MILLION DOLLARS COULD BE USED TO ENROLL 6-THOUSAND MORE JOBLESS NEVADANS LAWMAKERS SAY WITHOUT THIS MONEY... THE SILVER STATE'S UNEMPLOYMENT TRUST FUND COULD BE WIPED OUT BY THE END OF THE YEAR.
